

Primvs [Secvndvs]. | — | Lipsiae, | ex bibliopolio Io. Godofr. Mülleriano Cl IOCCCLXXXVI. 1 vol. folio. Title 1 l.; dedication backed by preface, 1 l., pp. 1-20, 1 l. (title of Fasc. II), 21-45, pll. col'd 1-vi, vii-xii.

The work treats extensively of the following birds: *Cotinga rubra*, p. 1, pl. 1, fig. 1. *C. cuprea*, p. 5, pl. 1, f. 2. *Gracula nobilis*, p. 7, pl. 2. *G. chrysoptera*, p. 10, pl. 3. *Mellisuga coccinea*, p. 14, pl. 4. *Merops spiza*, p. 16, pl. 5. *Muscicapa ferruginea*, p. 19, pl. 6. *Aquila glaucopis*, p. 21, pl. 7. *Lanius atricapillus*, p. 26, pl. 8.—TROGONUM genus, monograph of, in Linnæan style, pp. 28-36, treating of: *Trogon haemorrhoidalis*, *T. curucui*, p. 33 (pl. 9); *T. strigilatus*, *T. ferrugineus*, p. 34; *T. flammens*, *T. viridis*, p. 35.—*Fringilla iliaca*, p. 37, pl. 10. *Peuelope iacu-pema*, p. 39, pl. 11. *P. leucolophos*, p. 43, pl. 12.

The work consists of two fasciculi, separately full-titled and probably issued apart; and the title of *Fascicvlvs Secvndvs* is literally different from that of *Fascicvlvs Primvs*. But both bear the same date, 1786, and are bound as one volume in the copy examined in the library of the Zoölogical Society. The pagination and numeration of the plates are continuous; so that it is not necessary to cite the work by fasciculi. The first 20 pages and 6 plates belong in *Fasc. I.*, the rest in *Fasc. II.*—ELLIOTT COUES, *Washington, D. C.*

Mandt's Inaugural Dissertation.—This is a scarce tract, which I have never seen cited in full, and which is seldom so cited as to give any satisfactory idea of what it may be. The following is the title:

Observations in Historiam Naturalem et Anatonomiam comparatam in itinere Groenlandico factae. | — | Dissertatio Inauguralis | quam consensu et auctoritate gratiosi medicorum ordinis in Universitate Literaria Berolinensi | ut summi in medicina et chirurgia honores rite sibi concedantur | die XXII. M. Iulii A. MDCCCXXII | H. L. Q. S. publice defendet | auctor | Martinus Guilelmus Mandt | Beyenburgensis | — | [etc., 4 lines.] | — | Formis Brueschekianis. 1 vol., sm. 8vo., 4 prel. ll., pp. 1-40.

A list of birds occupies pp. 3, 4; and on p. 30 is described *Urria mandtii*, Licht., sp. n.—ELLIOTT COUES, *Washington, D. C.*

Correction.—In the Auk, Vol. XIII, No. 2, for April, page 176, under 'Abnormal Plumage in a Pine Grosbeak,' "its width having decreased .20 of an inch" should read "its width having decreased to .20 of an inch." On page 178, the paragraph on the Winter Wren, under 'Three Winter Notes from Longwood, Massachusetts,' "and on the 25th shot, I think, the same bird" should read "and on the 25th of December shot, I think the same bird."—REGINALD HEBER HOWE, JR., *Longwood, Mass.*